

ROTA NEWS



District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

PATRON

HE Dame Sandra Mason, GCMG, DA. Governor General

DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor Lisle Chase

District Governor Elect Sonya Alleyne

District Governor Nominee Leslie Ramdhanny

Assistant Governor Peter Thompson

District Secretary Soraya Warner Gustave

District Treasurer Joel Crocker

Council of Governors Chair PDG Trevor Blake

District Rotary Foundation Chair PDG Milton Inniss

District Disaster Relief Chair PDG David Edwards

District TRF Annual Fund Chair Sonya Alleyne

<u>Club Officers & Directors</u>

2ND JULY 2020

President Fiona Hinds

President ElectRobin Ford

Vice President Ron Davis

Secretary Ermine Darroux

Treasurer Meryl Stoute

Club Administration Jeff Evelyn

Membership/Youth Service Stanley MacDonald

Public Relations
Arlene Ross

Community Service
Adrian Skeete

International/Rotary FoundationMakonem Hurley

Immediate Past President Peter Williams

Sergeant–At–Arms Randy Marshall



R.I. Theme 2020-21

R.I. OFFICERS

President Holger Knaack

President Elect Shekhar Mether

RI Membership Committee Chair PDG David Edwards



THE FOUR WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

- 1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Weekly meetings on **Thursdays** at

Hilton Barbados

(Virtual Meetings from March 26, 2020 to present)

Needham's Point, Aquatic Gap, St. Michael

at 12:30 p.m.

P.O. Box 148B, Brittons Hill, St. Michael, Barbados

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

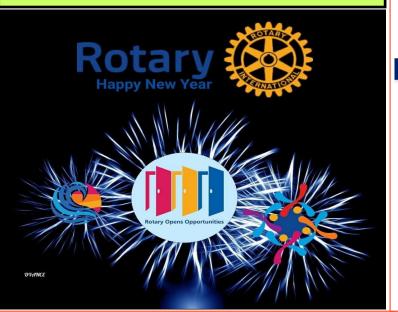
Mar 07 - Club Charter Date - 1962 - Club # 6798
RI THEME: ROTARY OPENS OPPORTUNITIES





UPCOMING EVENTS

 Notice is hereby given of our on-line Club meeting to be held on Thursday, July 09, 2020 via Zoom.
 Our Moderator will be PDG David.



Stewardship Report Summary Rotary Year 2019-20

(Presented by IPP Peter Williams)

Our club under the stewardship of IPP Peter Williams had quite a productive year which resulted in many positive gains, even with the turn of events in 2020 due to the Covid-19 pandemic. Some of the salient points from the report are as follows:

- Recruitment was up 12.5%, with a 94% retention rate of membership.
- Attendance by membership was averaging over 70% monthly.
- Clubs By-Laws and Constitution were revised and approved in May 2020.
- Monetary donations to District campaigns such as Hurricane Dorian relief efforts, World Polio Day joint campaign, Diabetes campaign, Rotary Foundation.
- Surplus on Club Funds of BB\$20K.
- Service continues to be the focus of the club, with initiatives and involvement over the past year such as Blood & Kidney Centre donations, School Safety Signs, Model United Nations (MUN) 2020, Salvation Army, Organ Donations, Christmas gift donations to Children's home.
- Our involvement since the Covid-19 pandemic has been commendable, from solutions-based planning and organization, donations, giving of service, and member engagement.
- New opportunities to engage via Zoom with Rotary members both locally and international, such as RIPP Barry Rassin, and RI President Elect Holger Knaack and many other Rotarians.
- The club had great public relations coverage this year via the media and social media of its projects and community based programmes.
- Continued engagement in our club's projects, such as The Schoolhouse for special needs, Carols By Candlelight, Model United Nations.

THANKS TO ALL ROTARIANS







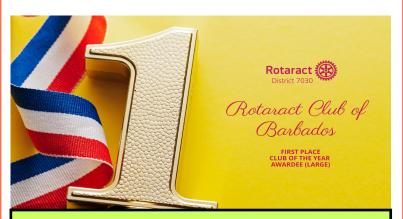
The Rotary Foundation Trustees and Rotary International Board of Directors have both unanimously approved adding a new area of focus: supporting the environment.

More than \$18 million in Foundation global grant funding has been allocated to environment-related projects over the past five years. Creating a distinct area of focus to support the environment will give Rotary members even more ways to bring about positive change in the world and increase our impact.

Supporting the environment becomes Rotary's seventh area of focus, which are categories of service activities supported by global grants. It joins peacebuilding and conflict prevention; disease prevention and treatment; water, sanitation, and hygiene; maternal and child health; basic education and literacy; and community economic development.

Grant applications for projects will be accepted beginning on 1 July 2021. Gifts and commitments from Rotarians and others will be sought to provide global grant support for the new area of focus.

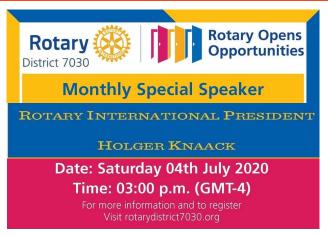
More information about this new cause will be announced soon.



Congratulations to the membership of the Rotaract Club of Barbados for a stellar performance for 2019-20.



A Special Thank You to all of our 2019-20 Club Officers and Directors for your work over the past year!!







Now More Than Ever, Rotary Connects the World

Thank you for attending the <u>2020 Rotary Virtual Convention</u> — our first ever online convention. We hope you enjoyed witnessing the power of Rotary connections, learned something new, and found inspiration. What was your favorite part? Tell us on the <u>Facebook event page</u> using #Rotary20.

Don't forget to participate in our July breakout program, beginning this Wednesday. In more than 40 sessions, you can learn about achieving a polio-free world, attracting a more diverse membership, finding power in partnerships, and much more. Consider inviting a friend or sharing a session with your network. Learn more and explore what's being offered. Continue to connect with Rotary Fellowships, Rotary Action Groups, partners, projects, and resources within the Virtual House of Friendship, a 24-hour exhibit, through 31 July.

The fun doesn't have to stop here. Join us next year to Feel the Energy at the 2021 Rotary International Convention in Taipei, Taiwan, 12-16 June. <u>Learn more</u> and <u>register today</u>.

Registration Available at https://convention.rotary.org/en/taipei/register



ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS Virtual Installation of Officers July 2, 2020

PROGRAMME

National Anthem

The Loyal Toast to Her Majesty the Queen
Invocation

Rotary Club of Barbados Year in Review

Welcome and 2019/2020 President's Address

Feature Speaker: Past RI Director Bradford 'Brad' Howard 2019/2020 Awards

Installation of President, Directors and Officers

DG Lisle Chase – Congratulatory Remarks 2020/2021 President's Remarks and introduction of Honorary Rotarians

2020/2021 President's Remarks
Toast to Rotary International

Announcements

Wedding Anniversary

Jenifer Johnson & Rtn. Joseph Johnson — 42 yrs — Jul 08

Birthday - Rotarians

- Rtn. Savitri St. John Jul 02
- PP Bobby Morris July 07

Birthday - Partners-in-Service

- Jeanette Cabral PP John Cabral Jul 03
- Elizabeth Cole Rtn. Brian Cole Jul 06
- Selena McDonald PP Alex McDonald— Jul 09

Join Date Anniversary

None this week

ROTARY GRACE

O Lord and giver of all things good
We thank Thee for our daily food
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways
Help us to serve Thee all our days.

Join Zoom Meeting

BE ON TIME: If you are late, please remain silent and catch up as best as you can.

CHOOSE A QUIET LOCATION: Please minimize distracting background noise such as radio & TV.

MUTE YOUR MICROPHONE: Use the mute button when you are not speaking. The moderator can also place you on mute, if needed.

BE PATIENT: Please be patient with others on the call. WAIT TO BE INVITED TO SPEAK: Please use the "Raise Hand" feature in Zoom to let the moderator know that you would like to speak. Please don't interrupt the conversation. STICK TO THE AGENDA: Please stick to the agenda so that we can complete our meeting on time

OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and in particular to encourage and foster:

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity of service;

SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition and the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the

dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life; and

FOURTH: The advancement of the international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world of fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

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